

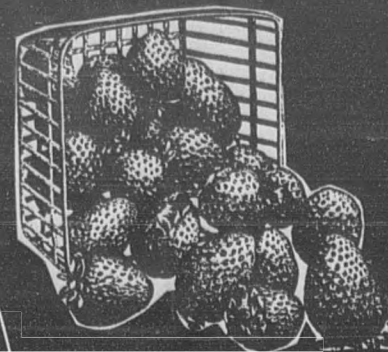
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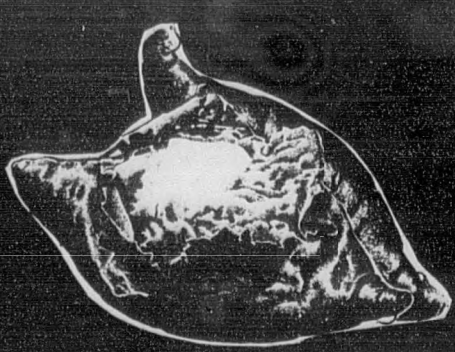
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pint

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Chef Boy-Ar-Dee Spaghetti With Meatballs

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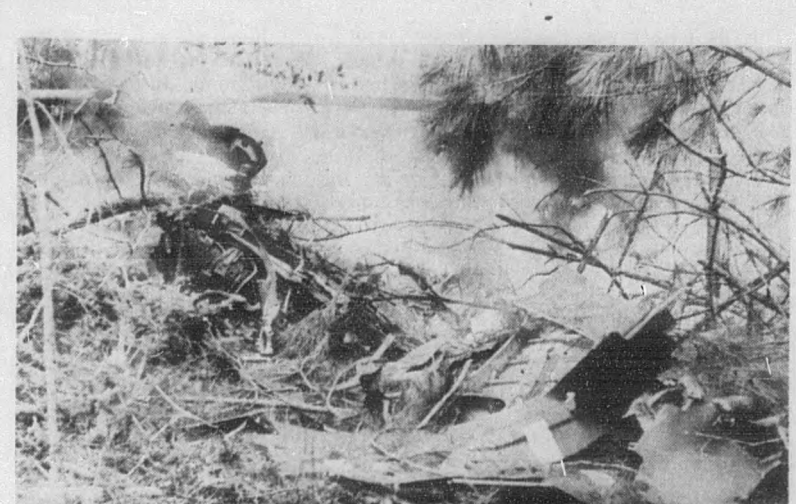
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Three Aviators Killed In Tuesday Crash Of Blackhawk Helicopter



FIREMEN FIGHT FIRE at the crash of the UH-60 Army helicopter from Ft. Rucker Tuesday afternoon. The firemen with the portable fire bottle wasn't wasting time as he and his fellow firefighters successfully fought to extinguish the flames from the burning craft before they reached the cockpit area that contained the bodies of the three Army aviators. The broken trees in the heavily wooded area indicate the awesome power of the falling helicopter and still-turning rotor blades. A wheel in the air just over the head of a firefighter reveals that the vehicle landed upside down.

Three Army aviators died Tuesday afternoon when their UH-60 Blackhawk helicopter crashed near the Elba airport while the men were on a routine training flight. The crash happened about 4 p.m. and apparently the men died instantly, as witnesses reported the craft nosed to the ground after it appeared the tail section broke off during an airborne emergency.



BROKEN AND TWISTED pieces of metal are all that remained of the Blackhawk helicopter that crashed Tuesday afternoon near the Elba airport. The impact and the thick pine trees combined to completely disintegrate the aircraft.

In spite of the fire that erupted after the crash, none of the casualties suffered burns, thanks to the fast reaction of the Elba Volunteer Fire Department. Members of the Elba department challenged the flames with portable fire extinguishers while other firemen were dragging fire hose from the truck stationed on the highway through the pine thicket to the crash site. Then the hoses and the truck reservoir furnished the ammunition to stop the spread of the flames from the tail section to the cockpit area where the bodies of the fliers were still strapped in their seats.

Ivey Daugherty, who lives on Larkin Road near the crash site, was in the back yard of his home, along with his wife and two neighbors, when they noticed a helicopter overhead making an unusual noise. Daugherty said there is a lot of flying in the area and they normally don't pay any attention, but this one was making a funny noise and flying very low.

He said the 'copter was coming down and looking for someone to come down in the front of his house, where his two grandchildren were playing in the driveway, as they often do. This caused him to run around the house to get the children, but when he got around there he saw that the aircraft was going a little further.

Daugherty said it seemed as if the engine had already quit but the aircraft was making a funny vibrating noise and was coming down nose first. Then the tail section broke and turned down with a loud pop and the 'copter turned straight down nose first into the pine trees. Daugherty said he started running to the site to help anyone who might have survived, and when he saw a few flames, called for his son Donnie, and the two of them circled the site looking for someone to help. Seeing no one was thrown from the crash and that those in the cockpit were apparently already dead, they backed away from the spreading flames and waited for the fire trucks that had been called by another family member.

Daugherty said, "It looked like a big ol' whale you see on TV, as it was coming down." He continued, "We wanted to help them, but there was nothing we could do."

Bulletin

Wednesday afternoon the U.S. Army issued a news bulletin that all UH-60 Blackhawk helicopters had been grounded worldwide pending the outcome of the investigation of the crash Tuesday near Elba.

Commission Continues To Look For Way Out Of Garbage Problems

The Coffee County Commission met in regular session on Monday, March 10, at the courthouse in Elba and accepted the low bid of \$59,850 from ESMAC, Inc., for the re-roofing of all three buildings at the Coffee County Farm Center in New Brockton.

All three buildings have been plagued by leaky roofs for years, and although the re-roofing project wasn't included in the budget, the commission vowed it would find the money needed to complete the entire project.

Bids ranged from the low bid from ESMAC to a high bid of \$69,775 from Hathcock Roofing and Remodeling.

County Attorney Warren Rowe reported on the progress of a court suit challenging the county's "at-large" method of electing commissioners and stated he would file a brief and repeat the county's position in the suit.

The county contends the election method was the result of a 1971 federal court order, thus freeing the county from any claim of attempting the dilute black voter strength.

A representative of Wasteway Inc. was at the Monday meeting and showed the commission a video concerning the company's operation of a landfill in Lee County.

The representative reported Coffee County's cost of operating a landfill was \$200,000 a year, while income totaled only \$70,000. He stated he would present a detailed study on the operation of the landfill to the commission and then return with a plan for Wasteway to assume operation of the landfill.

County garbage collector Ronny Reid stated he had lost \$486 in the two-months he had been collecting rural garbage, but said he felt the business could operate in the black if 1,000 paying customers would use the service.

Reid stated the rates were \$4.25 (Sr. Citizens) and \$6.00 (Reg. Customers) per month for weekly garbage pick-up and added anyone wishing to use the service should call 347-4532.

In other action at Monday's meeting, the commission: ***voted to request an Attorney General's opinion on the authority of a county engineer in a unit system; ***presented \$3,000 to the Goodman Volunteer Fire Department to help with organizational expenses;

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The terms for the new contract are based on verbal negotiations with the company by Mayor Bob English and City Clerk Don English last week.

The tentative terms accepted by the council state that: --The company will pay all legal fees incurred by the City of Elba in defending the suit.

--Within 45 days of signing the contract, the company will provide \$44,000 as a first year rental.

--The company will pay \$17,000 in escrow to repay a U.S. Dept. of Energy loan. The Energy Dept. financed a study of the feasibility of producing electricity at the dam in the early 1980's. However, there is a possibility that the debt will be forgiven, in which case the \$17,000 would be refunded.

--The City will have the option to buy the company's interest at the end of 10 years, for at least \$1,750,000 and not more than \$4,000,000. The figure will be determined as 10 times the average annual production times the price per kilowatt hour at the time.

The company has also agreed to have the plant operational by Dec. 31, 1986.

Mayor English recommended that the council accept the terms, rather than face further litigation. "If we get tied up in court, this could go on for years," he said.

Plant To Be Operational By 1987

The Elba City Council voted Monday night to once again lease the hydroelectric plant on Pea River to Elba Hydroelectric Company, Inc.

The plant was leased to the company in a contract signed March 28, 1984. However, a performance clause in the contract made the contract void if the company failed to generate electricity by November 28, 1985.

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Elba City Council Gives Elba Hydro New Lease

Meanwhile, the city acquired a letter from Elba Hydroelectric Company, signed by president Whit Brantley authorizing the city to re-open bids on the lease.

At an October 7 meeting, the Council opened bids from three companies: Elba Hydroelectric Co., Elba English-made and Co./Progressive Hydro, and Aquenergy Systems. Representatives from each company were present, and explained their positions and bids.

The council voted to accept a bid by Barrett and Co./Progressive Hydro for a 30-year lease. The proposal stated that the company would pay the City of Elba \$55,000 within 45 days of signing the lease, and the City would have the option of purchasing the site improvements between the fifth and tenth years of production. They also agreed to pay the city a percentage of the production after the fifteenth year of operation.

Although there was never a written contract between the City of Elba and Barrett and Co., representatives of Elba Hydroelectric Company made clear their intentions to seek reimbursement for the improvements they had made at the plant site as soon as the city had made a verbal commitment with Barrett.

The city received a letter dated Oct. 15, 1985, from Doherty attorney Terry Ballard, who represents Elba Hydroelectric Company, requesting \$300,000 reimbursement for improvements made at the dam. The letter also stated that, "unless you take immediate remedial measures toward my client, it will be my intent to file suit in Federal District Court within ten days from the date of this letter."

Two Elba Men Arrested In Connection With Rash Of Obscene Phone Calls

Two Elba men were arrested this week on charges of communications harassment in apparent unrelated cases.

Kenny Brunson was arrested by Elba police on Tuesday, March 11, in connection with reported "obscene" late-night phone calls; while Herman Dwight Russell was arrested by Enterprise police after similar complaints.

At the November 11 meeting of the council, City Attorney Mark Vaughan told the council that Elba Hydroelectric Company was willing to accept either \$300,000 in compensation for their work or a one-year extension on their contract. Mayor Bob English made it clear that the city would not agree to those terms, and that he was considering filing countersuit if the company persisted in their threats.

Elba Hydroelectric Company filed a \$1,000,000 suit against the city in early December and requested an injunction against the city forbidding them to enter into a contract with any other company until the suit was settled. The request was denied.

On February 10, Judge Robert Varner went on to give Elba Hydroelectric Company, Inc. 30 days to present further evidence or the case would be dismissed. The suit was formally dismissed on Tuesday of this week. A similar suit was filed against Barrett and Company. While the City of Elba suit had been dismissed, the suit against Barrett was still pending.

Officials at the Elba Hydroelectric Company have made clear their intentions to sell the electricity they generate to Alabama Electric Co-op. Federal law forces AEC to buy electricity from satellite companies.

Although the production of electricity at the Elba plant would not lower rates for local residents, local citizens would benefit from the money the city stands to gain from this project.

COLORED BACKGROUND

BRAINSTORMS

By Ferrin Cox, Publisher

Teacher testing in Alabama continues to make the news as it does in other states across the nation. The one thing that bothers me about this is when a college president brags when 85 or 90 percent of his graduates successfully take the test. We admire the nine colleges that had a 100 percent passage in the December testing even after the rescoring. We also note that it isn't the big mass education schools that record these scores, but the smaller schools and the ones that are considered extensions. Whatever their secret, we wish they would share it with the other 19 that didn't do as well... like 68 percent, 36 percent, and one case with two taking the test and neither passing!

The Elba City Council has agreed to another lease on the hydro plant. This thing has created a lot of news articles for this newspaper, and it ain't over yet. Maybe now it will be on the positive side instead of the ups and downs we have had in past years. We correctly predicted Elba would win the federal lawsuit, but actually both sides won. Elba won in court and Elba Hydro Inc. got the lease they wanted in the first place. That is having your cake and eating it also. Now let's turn some generators.

Things are quiet in Montgomery this week because the legislators take the week off, along with the school teachers. Some are teachers and want to go with their families to the beach; some are aspiring for higher office and want to politicize that large group of very influential folks at the teachers' convention, and some just like the time off. We will not suffer a bit from this delay, so don't despair. As Representative Jimmy Holley said to a group last week, "It is as important to know how to kill a bill as it is to know how to pass one." With them taking a week off, we have at least postponed some bad bills.

The Challenger crew has been found, according to news reports, still in the cabin of the ill-fated February launch vehicle. We share the feelings of one father who almost wished the remains had not been found. In fact, no one has ever said they were all in there anyway. We share the grief of the families, but hate to see them have to relive the gut-tearing tragedy again.

It is springtime and the fish are just waiting for us country boys to wet a hook and snag them in the lip. My family is hungry, the weather is getting nicer and nicer... Therefore, we will soon begin a diet of freshly-caught fish... if someone will come along and show me how to catch all these fish we see pictures of in magazines and newspapers. I chew my bait, squirt it with all sorts of stinking things, fish fast, fish slow, fish deep, fish shallow, early and late... but never quite right!



COMMISSION PRESENTS CHECK... Coffee County Commission Chairman Marion Brunson presents a \$3,000 check to members of the Goodman Volunteer Fire Department. Pictured (l-r) are Jimmy Clark, Commissioners Eugene Bradley, Jimmy Bryan, Von Johnson, Commissioner Sid Averett, Leon Addison, Commissioners Billy Egerton, Billy Paul Owens, Bill Faulk, and Brunson.

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ELBA POLICE REPORT

The Elba Police Dept. reported an active week with a total of 6 arrests (highway intoxication - 3, public intoxication - disorderly conduct and violation of prohibition law) and 6 traffic violations (speeding - 2, reckless driving, driving under the influence - 2, and improper tag).

Following are daily activity reports:

TUESDAY, MARCH 4
Activity included a grass fire at Big Creek Farm (3:30 p.m.), a theft from a home on Carver Dr. (3:56 p.m.) and a wreck with a subject pinned in the vehicle at Miron's Crossroads (6:36 p.m.).

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 5
Activity included a drunk in public at Burch's Trailer Court (6:44 p.m.) and a woods fire on 189 N. (10:19 p.m.).

THURSDAY, MARCH 6
Activity included a prowler on Dr. Roberts Drive (12:59 a.m.), a grass fire endangering a house on Herman Driggers Drive (1:53 p.m.), a prowler on Packing House Road (7:39 p.m.) and a fight at a home on Thomas St. (9:45 p.m.).

FRIDAY, MARCH 7
Activity included a drunk in public on 84 West (10:00 a.m.), a woods fire on County Rd. 21 (11:56 a.m.), a grass fire at Wilken's Crossroads (4:51 p.m.), a disturbance at Kendrick Apartments (6:28 p.m.), a woods fire at Bluff Springs (6:41 p.m.) and a fight at a home on Hickman Ave. (8:04 p.m.).

SATURDAY, MARCH 8
Activity included a theft at a game room on Plant Ave. (10:22 a.m.), a grass fire at Jack (3:32 p.m.), a grass fire at Victoria (4:08 p.m.) and a complaint of loud music at Mullins Apts. (10:09 p.m.).

SUNDAY, MARCH 9
Activity included a possible breaking and entering at Beaverdam Apts. (12:08 a.m.), a wreck near Friendship Grocery (10:00 a.m.), a fight at June Bug's Cafe (2:21 p.m.), an electrical fire at the police station (3:45 p.m.), a disturbance at Morrow Village (8:47 p.m.) and a disturbance at Powell's Trailer Court (8:58 p.m.).

MONDAY, MARCH 10
Activity included a grass fire past Matthews' Grocery (5:52 p.m.) and a drunk in public on 84 East (8:33 p.m.).



TRAFFIC LIGHTS GOING UP... Workmen pull cables across Claxton Ave. as they begin installing traffic lights at the intersection of Claxton Avenue and Alabama 203 Bypass. Modern traffic lights will be placed at all four entrances to the busy intersection, as well as street lights.



Mark Donaldson
Named VP Of
Honored Chevrolet Club

Mark Donaldson, service manager at Cook Chevrolet, was recently named vice-president of the "Only The Best Club," a select club comprised of award-winning service managers in Chevrolet's Birmingham zone. A total of 117 dealers in the zone were judged on the performance of their service departments, based on customer satisfaction and the service record of the department. Donaldson placed 2nd in the competition, which earned him the office of vice-president in the club. "We are proud of Mark and of Cook Chevrolet for winning this honor," stated Jim Cook "and feel it shows our continuing effort to satisfy our customers. Our motto is 'The House That Service Built' and that is a motto we strive to live up to."

OBITUARY

WILSON GRISWOLD
Mr. Wilson Griswold, age 82, of Rt. 5, Elba, died March 8, 1986, in the Elba General Hospital. Funeral services were held March 9, at 2 p.m. from Hayes Funeral Home Chapel, with Rev. Dennis Newton officiating. Burial was in Haw Hill Cemetery, with Hayes directing.

Survivors include his wife - Mrs. Bernice Head Griswold, Elba; one son - Jack Edward Griswold, Amarillo, Tex.; two daughters - Mabel Lee, Elba; Janell Downing, Dothan; one brother - Comer Griswold, Bu. Ridge; one sister - Julia Killingsworth, Troy; six grandchildren, two great-grandchildren.

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TOASTMASTERS - 1st & 3rd Mon - Elba Library - 7 p.m.
S.S. REP. - City Hall - 3rd Tuesdays 9:30 - 12:30 - Call free 1-800-325-0334.
ROTARY CLUB - Mon. Noon - Beaver Dam Restaurant
EASTERN STAR - 2nd - 4th Thur. 8 p.m. Library
ELBA MINISTERIAL ASSN. - Thur. 8 a.m. - 1st Old Hickory Pl.
JAYCEES - 1st & 3rd Thur. 7 p.m. Beaver Dam Restaurant
CITY COUNCIL - 2nd - 4th Mon. 6 p.m.
BPW - 2nd Mon. 7 p.m. - Com. Room, SouthTrust
LIONS CLUB - 2nd & 4th Tues. 7 p.m. Beaver Dam Restaurant
ELBA CITY SCHOOL BOARD - 1st Thur. 5 p.m. Supl. Office
AMERICAN LEGION - 1st Thur. 7:30 p.m. - Legion Hall, Troy Hwy.
BOY SCOUTS - Mon. 7 p.m. Over old City Hall
RESCUE SQUAD - 2nd & 4th Tues. 7 p.m. Library
WATER & ELECTRIC - 2nd Tues. 5 p.m. City Hall
MASONIC LODGE #170 - 1st Sat. 3rd Mon. 7 p.m.
AA - Wed. 8 p.m. - Sr. Citizens Bldg.
BAND BOOSTERS - 1st Mon. 7 p.m. Band Room
VETERANS SERVICE OFFICE - Tues. & Thur. 8:30-4:30, 887-2924
ALANOK Wing 7 p.m. - Sr. Cit. Cn.
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THIS COURSE LOOKS INTERESTING-Mary Johnston of Ozark, left, Cindy Henderson of New Brockton, and Lisa Todd of Elba, right, take a break from classes to enjoy the spring-like weather as they look over the class schedule to decide which courses to take Spring Quarter at Enterprise State Junior College. Registration is in progress. Classes begin March 19.

State Of Alabama Lists Jobs

The Alabama State Personnel Department this week announced examinations for filling present

Cards Of Thanks

I wish to express my appreciation for the many acts of kindness shown during the illness and death of my sister, Mrs. Estelle Lanford. The visits, food, flowers and your prayers were most inspirational. May God's richest blessings always be yours.

MRS. ALICE JOHNSON

3-13-1c

A NOTE OF APPRECIATION

Perhaps you sang a lovely song.
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Perhaps you sent a beautiful card
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MARCH 17 - 21

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Lunch - Chicken or Turkey Dressing, Garden Peas, Cranberry Sauce, Jelly or Fruit, Milk

TUESDAY
Breakfast - Biscuit with Jelly, Sausage, Milk
Lunch - Chicken or Turkey Dressing, Garden Peas, Apple Cobbler, Bread, Milk

WEDNESDAY
Breakfast - Grits, Eggs, Toast, Milk
Lunch - Taco Salad • Doritos, Shredded Lettuce/Dressing, Grated Cheese, Corn, Fruit, Milk, Crackers

THURSDAY
Breakfast - Cereal, Juice, Milk
Lunch - Pizza, Tossed Salad, Butterbeans, Fruit Cup, Plain Cake, Milk

FRIDAY
Breakfast - Sausage, Toast/Jelly, Juice, Milk
Lunch - Hamburger on Bun, Lettuce, Tomato, Dill, Onions, Potato Tots, Baked Beans, Peach Cup, Milk

MONDAY
Breakfast - Cereal, Juice, Milk, Juice
Lunch - Spagetti & ground beef, garden peas, orange wedge, cheese rolls, milk

TUESDAY
Breakfast - Egg toast, bacon, jelly, milk, juice
Lunch - Ocean perch, tartar sauce, hushpuppies, coleslaw, milk, macaroni & cheese, pears, cookie

WEDNESDAY
Breakfast - French toast, sausage, honey, milk, juice
Lunch - Corn dog, carrot salad, tater tots, milk, cherry cake

THURSDAY
Breakfast - Cheese toast, milk, juice
Lunch - Potato boat, string beans, roll, milk, peach pie

FRIDAY
Breakfast - Hot biscuits, ham, syrup, milk, juice
Lunch - Hamburger, lettuce, dills, French fries, baked beans, applesauce, milk

Danford And White Complete Training In Insurance Field

James H. (Jim) White, Sr. and Jim Danford of Mutual Savings Life Insurance Company's Elba District Office have just completed an intensive four day training school at the company's home office in Decatur, Alabama. Agents from Alabama, Mississippi, Florida and Georgia attended the school. Students completed special study courses and workshop sessions were

designed to teach the effective use of life insurance as a valuable piece of property. The home office school enables the company, through these graduates, to offer more efficient service to policyholders. Accreditation certificates will be given to the agents upon satisfactory completion of a continuation education program extending over several weeks within their community.

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New Arrivals

ELIZABETH ANN RAMEY

Elizabeth Ann Ramey was born Feb. 28, in Princeton Baptist Medical Center, in Birmingham. Elizabeth Ann weighed 7 pounds and 10 ounces and was 20 1/2 inches long.

Parents are Eric and Pam (Kelley) Ramey.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Tom Ramey of Birmingham and Mr. and Mrs. Dorel Kelley of Elba.

Great grandparents are Mrs. Myrtle Hawkins and Mrs. Lucille Stokes, all of Elba.

Both mother and baby are reported to be fine.

KASEY LYNN SIMMONS

Mr. and Mrs. James A. Simmons of Elba announce the birth of a new baby girl, Kasey Lynn, on Thursday, March 6 in a Montgomery hospital. At birth she weighed 7 lbs. 12 ozs.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. F.L. Zinsmeister of Hanceville, Ala., and Mr. and Mrs. Allen Simmons of Elba.

Great grandparents are Mrs. Ruby Chaney of Hanceville, and Mrs. Gennie Simmons, Enterprise.

Both Mom and baby are reported to be doing fine.

ASHLEY NICOLE RUSHING

Jerry and Teri Rushing of the Lee Community announce the birth of their daughter, Ashley Nicole, on March 2, at Humana Hospital-Enterprise. She weighed 7 lbs. 7 ozs. and was 19 inches long.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Alto Rushing of the Lee Community and Mr. and Mrs. David Stokes and Myra Stokes, all of Elba.

JESSICA DIANNE BARKER

Ricky and Linda Barker of Elba announce the birth of their daughter, Jessica Dianne, on December 26, 1985, in Humana Hospital-Enterprise. She weighed 7 lbs. 12 ozs.

Grandparents are Deborah and Dale Barker, Elba; David Alexander, Black Rock, Ark.; and Analee Alexander, Winter Haven, Fla.

Great grandmother is Mrs. Macon L. Hanson, Elba.

Jessica Dianne is the 19th grandchild for the Alexanders, and the first for the Dale Barkers.

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SOCIAL NEWS

Elba Study Club Holds April Meeting At Library

The March meeting of the Elba Study Club was held at the library with Mrs. Melvin Senn and Mrs. W. E. Kelley serving as hostesses. A delicious dessert was served.

Mrs. W. H. Taylor called the meeting to order and Mrs. L. F. Imman, program chairman, introduced Mrs. P. H. Sellers who gave a most interesting program on Mother Teresa.

After the program the secretary called the roll and read the minutes of the last meeting. The treasurer gave her report.

Mrs. Taylor gave a report on the district meeting she attended. Mrs.

Hobson read a letter regarding the Piney Woods Arts Festival to be held April 19 and 20. All members were urged to contribute something to be sold at the Festival.

Members attending were Mrs. M. O. Bruckner, Mrs. Oswell Dowling, Miss Jeanette Garrett, Mrs. Durrell Hudson, Mrs. L. F. Imman, Mrs. W. E. Kelley, Mrs. D. Kendrick, Mrs. J. M. Kimmy, Mrs. T. M. Miller, Mrs. P. O'Riley, Mrs. P. H. Sellers, Mrs. Melvin Senn, Mrs. Duke Tatum, Mrs. W. H. Taylor, Mrs. Richard Hobson, Mrs. G. C. Williams and Mrs. John I. Jones.

THE ELBA JAYCEES are accepting donations on this counted-cross stitch quilt, which will be given away in a drawing on Saturday, March 15, at 2 p.m., and will be broadcast over WELB Radio at 2 p.m. The quilt features ducks in wildlife scenes, bordered in brown, and Jaycees contributing squares include: Rhonda B. Brunson, Lynn H. Baker, Katrina H. Calhoun, Cindy J. Carnley, Ceina Hayes, Carol Laney, Phyllis Sasser and Melinda Vaughan. This quilt will be on display at area merchants' stores and banks throughout the week. All proceeds will benefit the project as an area foster children and the elderly. For more information, contact Lynn Baker, 897-3813.

Miss Jones & Mrs. Urdiales Are United In Marriage

Dorothy Susan Jones and Marshall Wayne Urdiales were united in marriage February 13, 1986, at six o'clock in the evening at the First Baptist Church of Opp, Alabama. The pastor, Reverend Bruce Chessner performed the double-ring ceremony.

Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. Earl Jones of Opp and Mr. and Mrs. Carlos Urdiales of Baton Rouge, Louisiana. Grandparents of the couple are Mrs. Jewel Jacobs and the late S. J. Jacobs of Elba and Mrs. Odus Eiland and the late J. C. Jones of Opp. Mr. and Mrs. Nida Badaux of Lafayette, Louisiana and the late Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Urdiales of Lake Charles, Louisiana.

A program of wedding music was presented by organist, Kathy Gibson and pianist, Mrs. Joe Reese Tisdale. Vocalist, Mrs. Jay Mikel, sang "Sweet, Sweet Spirit" and "Evergreen."

The marriage was by her father, the bride wore a long white gown designed in chiffon over taffeta. Styled with an open neckline, the fitted bodice was overlaid with a scalloped edge of lace. To complete her bridal ensemble, she wore a floor-length veil of sheer illusion with hand placed seed pearls scattered about the netting. The head band was designed in silk roses and forget-me-nots with pearls and iridescent centers.

The bride's bouquet was a cascade of bridal roses, daisies and pink carnations with white satin streamers.

Becky Mikel Riggs of Brewton served as matron of honor. Bridesmaids were Lisa Waller Jones of Opp, and Debbie Johnston Jones of Troy.

The attendants were matching gowns of pink cerise matte taffeta. The fitted bodice featured a deep V-neckline both front and back, accented by thin straps with a criss-cross effect. The short sleeves were puffed to the elbow and the natural waistline dropped to a point in back and topped a softly gathered floor-length skirt. Each attendant carried a nosegay of fresh pink daisies, daisies and baby's breath.

Carlos Urdiales, Sr., father of the groom, served as best man.



Mrs. Marshall Wayne Urdiales

Groomsmen were Carlos Urdiales, Jr. and Jim Urdiales, brothers of the groom. The groomsmen wore black tuxedos and black bow ties and cummerbunds. The groom wore a white tuxedo with tails, a white wing tipped shirt collar with a maroon bow tie and cummerbund.

The beauty of the sanctuary was enhanced by a simple background of glowing candles, pink and white flowers, and fresh greenery. Heart shaped candelabra placed on each side of the altar completed the altar decorations.

Family pews were marked with pink satin bows.

For her daughter's wedding, Mrs. Jones wore a dusty pink floor-length gown of chiffon over taffeta.

The groom's mother, Mrs. Urdiales, wore a beige floor-length gown with a matching floor-length coat fashioned in the same color and fabric.

Mrs. Richard Spurlin and Mrs. Lowell Smith directed the wedding. Following the ceremony, the bride's parents entertained guests at a reception in the fellowship hall of the church.

After a short wedding trip, the couple will be at home in Carencro, Louisiana.

EARLY FILES

TEN YEARS AGO

Deborah Houtt is pictured with her husband, Mr. John Garrett and their three children. Deborah is traveling with the Bicentennial Wagon Train, and is also participating in the Florida late Saturday morning. Turner is chief of the Creek Indian nation east of the Mississippi River, and Ethridge is with the Alabama Bicentennial Celebration Commission.

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MARCH 17, 1966

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Church Directory

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Even. - 8:00 p.m. Wed. Service - 8:30 p.m. JACK ASSEMBLY OF GOD - Rev. Jimmy Edkins Sunday School - 9:45 a.m. Morn. Worship - 11:00 a.m. Wed. Prayer Serv. - 7:15 p.m. C.A.'s (Sun.) - 5:00 p.m. Even. Worship - 8:00 p.m. NEW BROCKTON METHODIST - Lister Grant Sunday School - 9:45 a.m. Morn. Worship - 11:00 a.m. Prayer Meet. (Sun.) - 4:30 p.m. Even. Worship - 5:00 p.m. FAIRVIEW BAPTIST - Dr. Lewis Curtis (Interim) Sunday School - 9:45 a.m. Morn. Worship - 11:00 a.m. Train. Union - 8:00 p.m. Even. Service - 7:00 p.m. Wed. Prayer Meet. - 7:30 p.m. ELBA FIRST ASSEMBLY OF GOD - Tommy Kerr Sunday School - 9:45 a.m. Morn. Worship - 11:00 a.m. Even. Service - 8:00 p.m. Wed. Service - 7:00 p.m. Youth Scene-Wed. - 7:00 p.m.		SHILOH BAPTIST CHURCH - Campbell Sasser Sunday School - 10:00 a.m. Morn. Worship - 11:00 a.m. Training Union - 8:00 p.m. Even. Service - 7:00 p.m. Wed. Prayer Meet. - 7:00 p.m. ZOAR COMMUNITY CHURCH - Richard & Pat Jones Sunday School - 10:00 a.m. Morn. Worship - 11:00 a.m. Church Practice - 4:30 p.m. Thursday Serv. - 7:00 p.m. FIRST ASSEMBLY OF GOD - Robert Baskin Sunday School - 9:45 a.m. Morn. Service - 11:00 a.m. Church Training - 8:30 p.m. Evangelistic Serv. - 8:00 p.m. Wed. Bible Study - 7:00 p.m. NEW PHILADELPHIA CHURCH OF GOD IN CHRIST - Eld. Waymon Pryor Sunday School - 10:30 a.m. Morn. Worship - 11:00 a.m. 2nd & 4th Sundays BASIN BAPTIST CHURCH - Rev. Allen Moore Sunday School - 10:00 a.m. Morn. Worship - 11:00 a.m. Church Training - 8:00 p.m. Even. Worship - 8:30 p.m. Wed. Service - 7:00 p.m. WISE MILL ASSEMBLY OF GOD - Fern Smith Sunday School - 10:00 a.m. Morn. Service - 11:00 a.m. Church Training - 8:00 p.m. Wed. Prayer Serv. - 7:00 p.m. Fri. Home Prayer - 7:00 p.m. MT. VERNON ASSEMBLY OF GOD - Danielle Earls Sunday School - 11:00 a.m. Morn. Worship - 11:00 a.m. Even. Service - 8:00 p.m. NEW CHAPEL BAPTIST Sunday School - 10:00 a.m. Morn. Worship - 11:00 a.m. Even. Service - 8:00 p.m. Wed. Prayer Meet. - 7:00 p.m. BLUFF SPRINGS BAPTIST - David Marler Sunday School - 10:00 a.m. Morn. Worship - 11:00 a.m. Church Training - 8:00 p.m. Even. Worship - 7:00 p.m. Wed. Prayer Meet. - 7:00 p.m. ROCKY HEAD M.B. CHURCH - Rev. A. Wilbur Sunday School - 10:00 a.m. Morn. Worship - 11:30 a.m. 2nd & 4th Sundays ELBA UNITED METHODIST - George Seaberry Sunday School - 9:45 a.m. Morn. Worship - 11:00 a.m. Children and Youth Choir Practice - 8:00 p.m. Even. Service - 7:00 p.m.		MT. ZION BAPTIST - Kenneth Fallon Sunday School - 10:00 a.m. Morn. Worship - 11:00 a.m. Training Union - 8:00 p.m. Even. Service - 8:00 p.m. NEW EBENEZER BAPTIST CHURCH - Billy Henderson Sunday School - 10:00 a.m. Morn. Worship - 11:00 a.m. Youth Choir Prac. - 4:00 p.m. Training Union - 8:00 p.m. Church Training - 8:00 p.m. Outreach - Wed. - 8:00 p.m. Adult Choir Wed. - 8:00 p.m. MULBERRY HEIGHTS CHURCH OF CHRIST - R.B. Williams Bible Study - 10:00 a.m. Morn. Worship - 11:00 a.m. Even. Service - 8:00 p.m. Wed. 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QUESTION: WHAT IS THE MARK OF THE BEAST?

Bob Pritchard

One of the most noticed and least understood portions of the book of Revelation is the identification of the mark of the beast in Revelation 13. The beast, identified with the antichrist, and his special mark, have been the subject of much fanciful speculation. During the Protestant Reformation, the Roman Catholic Church identified the mark of the beast with the German reformer Martin Luther. Luther identified the mark with the pope, and the Roman Catholic Church.

The mark of the beast and the antichrist have been identified with Napoleon, Hitler, Henry Kissinger, Richard Nixon, and even Ronald Reagan. The mark has been identified as the social security number, or the universal product code on the labels of manufactured products. All of these speculative ideas overlook the very important fact that the book of Revelation was written primarily to comfort and strengthen first century Christians undergoing persecution.

The book of Revelation begins, "The Revelation of Jesus Christ, which God gave unto him, to show unto his servants things which must shortly come to pass." It was a message of comfort to Christians struggling against persecution by the Roman empire. Revelation 13:16-17 says that the beast "causeth all, both small and great, rich and poor, free and bond, to receive a mark in their right hand, or in their foreheads: and that no man might buy or sell, save he that had the mark, or the name of the beast, or the number of his name." The mark, on the right hand, or forehead, was symbolic of giving the hand and heart to the beast.

During the first century, the Roman empire attempted to unite its people religiously by requiring all men to worship the emperor. This requirement for worshipping the emperor was enforced by closing the markets of the Roman empire to those who had no certification that they had worshipped the emperor.

Revelation 13:18 continues, "Here is wisdom. Let him that hath understanding count the number of the beast: for it is the number of a man; and his number is six hundred threescore and six." John thus says that the number of the beast is the number of a man, and that number is 666. In the Bible, seven is a number symbolic of perfection. Six, falling short of the perfect seven, is a number of imperfection. Many early languages, such as Greek and Hebrew, did not use the Arabic numbers we are familiar with, but instead used letters for numbers, such as in Roman numerals. Thus 666 can be considered the sum of the value of the letters of a man's name.

The most logical, and most likely, person, who can be easily identified by 666, is Nero Caesar. He was the first Roman emperor to persecute Christians, and demand emperor worship. The name Nero Caesar, in Hebrew, totals exactly 666.

NOTE: In last week's article on miracles, a sentence was inadvertently left out of the last paragraph. Following "We also find that the cures of Christ were immediate and 100% effective," should have been, "Those who claim the power to heal and perform miracles today are selective in who they 'heal,' do not 'heal' immediately, and are not 100% effective."

To receive a free Bible Correspondence Course, or to ask a Bible question, write to: Bob Pritchard, Elba Church of Christ, P.O. Box 269, Elba, Al. 36323. Hear "Moments for the Master," weekdays at 6:20 a.m., 12:27 p.m., and 3:57 p.m. on WELB-AM 1350. Visit with us Sunday at the Elba Church of Christ.

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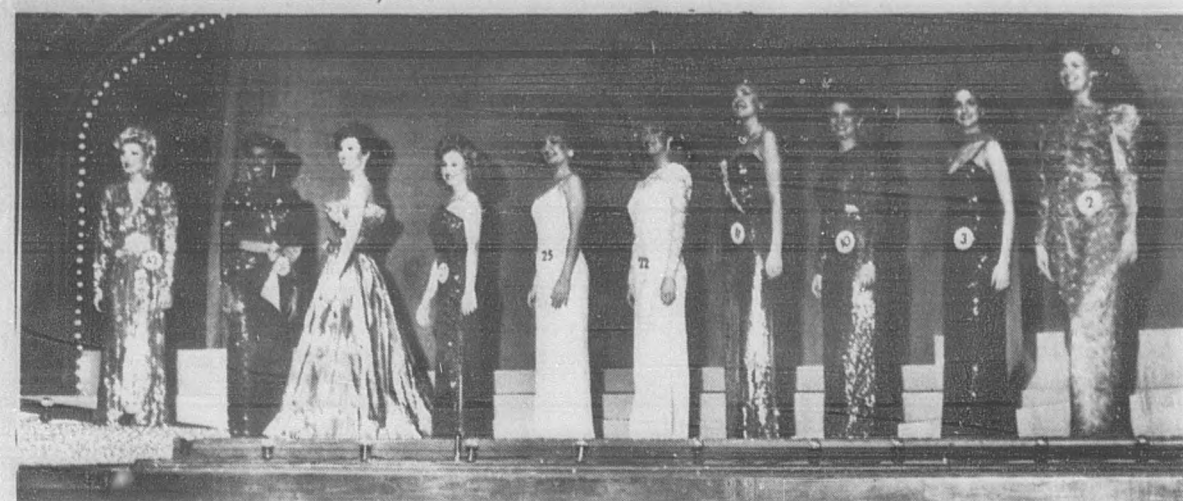
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Elba Students Place In Miss TSU Pageant

Miss Amanda Forbes Ober, a 19 year old, green-eyed blond from Bedford, New Hampshire, was crowned Miss Troy State University Saturday night during the 14th annual Miss TSU Pageant in Smith Hall Auditorium.

First runner-up was Troy's Duan Long. Other runners-up include Shari Sasser of Dothan, Doty Jo Brown of Valdosta, Ga. Pamela T. Williams of Elba.

Fourth runner-up, Pam Williams, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Herschel Williams of Elba. Pam is a senior broadcast journalism/public

relations major at TSU. Her sponsor was Chi Omega.

Rounding out the top 10 semi-finalists were Tanna R. Coleman of Smith Station; Maria Franklin of

Candidates To Speak

Candidates seeking state offices for Governor-Mayor Burton of Taledaga, Mr. Doug Carter of Birmingham, Mr. Guy Hunt, as well as the candidate for secretary of state, Jim Watley, will speak to voters on Thursday, March 20, 7

Activities Listed For Band Day Fun

Elba Tiger Band Day will be held Saturday, March 22, and various activities have been listed by the Band Boosters Club.

A pork barbecue will be served on Band Day, in the Elba High School lunchroom. Plates will be \$3.50 and will contain pork barbecue, hash, slaw and bread.

Prizes to be awarded include a weekend at Panama City Beach, \$100 worth of gas, \$50 gift certificate from Mary's Style Shop. Tickets are \$1.00 each.

Tickets for the barbecue and the prizes are available from any band student, or by contacting Danny Davis at 897-2266; Larry Goodson, at 897-6030 or 897-6791.

Band Day pageant will be held Friday, March 21, in the high school auditorium, beginning at 7 p.m. One winner and four alternates will be chosen in each division, and a crown, trophy and banner presented to the queen in each division. Also each queen will be honored on Band Day and will be given complimentary tickets for scheduled Band Day events.

Age divisions are: Tiny Miss - 2 and 3; Tot - 4 and 5; Little Miss - 6, 7, and 8; Mini-Miss - 9, 10, 11; Junior Miss - 12, 13 and 14; Miss - 15, 16, 17 and 18.

Entry forms are available at area schools; for more information call Mrs. Shirley Wise, 897-5124, or Mrs. Nelda Coleman, 897-6673 or 897-2134.



Wade Flowers, center, Coffee County Area Vocational Center, took first place in the carpentry division of the District IV VICA Skills Olympics held on the campus of Wallace College, Dothan. Second place was Robert Wayne Boyette, left, Houston County AVC; third place was Eric Boutwell, Geneva County AVC.



Coffee County Area Vocational Center student Donald Eugene McWaters, center, took first place in the cabinetmaking competition of the District IV VICA Skills Olympics held at Wallace College, Dothan. Second place went to Brian D. Carroll, left, Houston County AVC and third was Paul Powell, right, Elmore County AVC.

Bradley Florist Is New Member Of Elba Chamber

At the annual Chamber of Commerce banquet held Feb. 25, also the membership banquet, Bradley's Florist was recognized as the newest member. Bradley's also was responsible for the decorations at the banquet.

Sgt. Jackson Is In REFORGER

Army Sgt. James M. Jackson, son of Charles L. and Martha F. Jackson of Opp, was recently involved in a NATO-sponsored exercise by participating in the Army's return of forces to Germany, (REFORGER) and the Air Force's Crested Card exercises.

The exercises are designed to develop uniformity of doctrine, standardize procedures for rapid response to a crisis and demonstrate solidarity in commitment to NATO goals and objectives.

Jackson is a power generator repairer with the 103rd Military Intelligence Battalion in West Germany.

His wife, Joyce, is the daughter of Lewis T. and Annie L. Sexton of Route 4, Elba.

He is a 1981 graduate of Kinston High School.

Danford Is Senior Airman

Donald C. Danford, son of Bobby R. Danford of Route 1, Elba and Grace A. Horton of New Bedford, has been specially identified for early promotion to senior airman in the U.S. Air Force.

The airman was awarded the new rating ahead of other Air Force members by a "below-the-zone" promotion board which considered job performance, military knowledge, bearing and self-improvement efforts.

Danford is an administration specialist at Reese Air Force Base, Texas, with the 105th Information Systems Squadron.

He is a 1982 graduate of New Bedford High School.

Hospital Notes

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Family Life Enrichment Program Made Available To Public

The Coffee County Department of Pensions and Security is pleased to make available to the community a very positive and special Family Life Enrichment Program to be presented by Mrs. Glenda M. Frazier, Coffee County Department of Pensions and Security. The program will be presented at Elba General Hospital.

The Family Life Enrichment series will be eight sessions and will be conducted on Tuesday and Thursday evenings from 6:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. The first session will be

Tuesday, March 18 in the classroom at Elba General Hospital. There is no charge for the course.

The course will concentrate on marriage enrichment and enrichment of parenting skills. The course is designed to promote quality family life and good parent-child relationships.

You may pre-register and obtain more information by calling Mrs. Glenda M. Frazier, Community Resource Specialist, at 897-3424.

Enterprise Quilt Show Planned April 19 & 20

The Enterprise Quilters are seeking quilters who would be interested in having their quilt or quilts shown at the Enterprise Quilters Third Annual Quilt Show to be held in conjunction with the Piney Woods Art Festival April 19th and 20th at Enterprise State Junior College in the Student Activity Building.

Persons who are interested in entering their quilt/quilts for the quilt show can obtain applications

from The Patchwork Pavilion Store on Main Street in Enterprise. For persons unable to obtain applications contact either Joyce Jannuzzello, 301 Meadowlark Lane, phone 205-347-5050 or Lavinia Helms, 103 Lakewood Drive, Enterprise, phone 205-347-6150. Please send large business size self-addressed stamped envelope.

Deadlines for submitting applications is April 4th.



Leukemia Society Announce Facts About The Move-A-Long Planned

Lynn H. Baker announced today that the 1986 Leukemia Move-A-Long will take place on March 22 at Legion Field at 10:00. Registration for this event begins at 9:30.

Bicyclists, joggers, walkers, runners and skaters are invited to join in this Move-A-Long.

Participants will obtain sponsor pledges from friends and neighbors for each mile completed. For more information on how you can participate, call Lynn Baker at 897-3813.

Proceeds will support the research, patient aid and education programs of the Alabama Chapter, Leukemia Society of America.

In spite of remarkable medical advances in the past ten years, leukemia remains the number one killer disease of children.

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Swimming To Be Offered At ESJC

Aquatic exercise and beginning and intermediate swimming are offered at ESJC this spring. Both courses have a registration deadline of April 1.

Classes begin April 8 and will be held at the ESJC pool. For more information or to register for these courses, call the Short Course Office at 393-ESJC.

State Employees Association Hold Meeting

The Coffee-Geneva County Western Sizzlin Restaurant, 84 Chapter of the Alabama State Employees Association will hold their regular monthly meeting on March 18, 1986 at 7:00 p.m. at the

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Views From

The Pressbox

By Ricky Mularz, Editor

School is out this week for the AEA holidays and while the vacation does result in a slowdown in local sports action, the lull won't last long, as next week high school baseball, spring football practice and softball will jump into the headlines. Elba may not be the sports capital of the world, but it sure gives me plenty to write about!

ELBA TIGERS CONCLUDE SPRING FOOTBALL TRAINING

The Elba Tigers wrapped up spring football training last week, and if the Black and Gold game is any indication of what's ahead for next year, the Tigers should be mighty tough on defense! The defenses on both teams were aggressive on every play and there were more good licks passed than I've seen in one game in quite some time. I knew Elba had a lot of experience coming back on defense; however, at Friday's game it looked like the Tigers had not only a good defense, but good depth at all defensive positions. Neither offense looked real sharp, but Gold quarterback Jason Johnson did complete a long touchdown pass to speedy Troy Kelley, and fullback Richard McKinnon showed a deadly combination of speed and strength. Spring training games aren't supposed to look real exciting - and this was certainly the case Friday, but I saw plenty of talent and think when you add all the talent up on one team the Tigers are going to be a powerhouse in the Class 3A ranks!!!

YOUTH BASKETBALL LEAGUE COMPLETES ANOTHER GOOD YEAR

The Youth Basketball League ended its season last week and once again the league was a big success for all involved. The league lasted six weeks, which isn't really long enough, but all the players seemed to have a good time and all the coaches did a good job of teaching the fundamentals of the game. The teams were well balanced (maybe the best ever) and the games were all highly competitive, which made the season interesting. The only change involving the league should be a longer season, or perhaps more games in the same amount of time. Six games aren't enough to really allow the coaches to get in all the work they'd like and doesn't let the younger kids get in enough playing time. If the season was expanded it could offer a lot more pluses to all involved.

I'd like to thank all the coaches for giving their time to help the youngsters learn about basketball and giving up six straight weekends to play games as well.

I'd like to thank all the coaches for giving their time to help the youngsters learn about basketball and giving up six straight weekends to play games. As a former coach I know what you go through and I also know that thanks is one word that's not heard often. Thanks coaches - you all did a great job!

JUST WHO MAKES THE RULES?

The Alabama High School Athletic Association released its new rules for the 1986-87 basketball season last week, and included was a rule that prohibited cheerleaders from standing up except during time-outs. Last year they made the coaches sit down, and now the cheerleaders. What's next? Maybe they'll make the fans sit seated so everybody will be able to just sit back and enjoy (?) the game. I think the rule making the coaches sit down was needless, and think the rule about cheerleaders is just plain stupid. C'mon guys - enough is enough!

In Intra-Squad Game

Elba Tiger Golds Blank Blacks 14-0

The Elba Tigers concluded spring football practice last Friday afternoon with their annual Black and Gold intra-squad game, and in a defensive battle the Gold defeated the Black 14-0.

The defenses totally dominated the opening stanza, as neither team

could mount a serious scoring threat and it took a mistake in the Black kicking game to set up the game's initial touchdown. The mistake came on 4th down when a late substitution failed to get to its position and was hit with the snap on an attempted punt.

The Gold took over at the Black 26-yard line, and behind the running of Jason Johnson and Richard McKinnon marched quickly into the endzone! The touchdown came on a 9-yard run by McKinnon, and although the p.a.t. failed, the Gold had the lead for good at 6-0 with 3:48 left in the second quarter.

The Black team seemed ready to put its offense together in the third quarter, but couldn't sustain a drive and failed to reach paydirt. The Gold team put the ball in play near midfield late in the game and surprised the Black when on first down quarterback Jason Johnson dropped back and lofted a 48-yard touchdown pass to Troy Kelley, who was streaking down the sideline. Richard McKinnon bulled over for the two-point conversion, and with 4:41 left in the game the Gold had expanded its lead to 14-0.

The Black squad came to life following the score and moved quickly downfield on a long pass completion from Stan Sauls to David Ammons, only to be stopped on a fourth down pass at the 6-yard line with 3:17 left on the clock as the Gold held on to post the 14-0 win.

Richard McKinnon, Jason Johnson, Troy Kelley and Christian Fleming were outstanding on offense for the Gold, while defensive standouts included Warren Galimore, Troy Sanders, Larry Dixon and Mickey Dunnivant. Stan Sauls, Bill Robinson and David Ammons were eyecatchers on offense for the Black, while standouts on defense were Scott Lawless, Kevin Killingsworth, Scott Brown and Roderick Caldwell.

Andalusia Sports Festival Set For April 4-6

The Andalusia Sports Festival has finalized plans for this year's events, scheduled for the first week in April, and once again there is something for everyone!

TENNIS TOURNAMENT

A tennis tournament will be held on April 4-5-6 at the Lurleen Wallace Junior College tennis complex, with

competition to be held in Men's A Doubles, Women's A Doubles, A Mixed Doubles, B Mixed Doubles, Men's B Doubles, Women's B Doubles, Men's C Doubles, Women's C Doubles and C Mixed Doubles.

Trophies will be presented to the winners and finalists in each division, while all entrants will

receive a Sports Festival T-shirt and a Harco Drug gift packet.

The entry fee is \$12 per team and entries should be sent to the Andalusia Tennis Club, Box 311, Andalusia, AL 36420.

For more information call Roland Brown at 222-7569 or 388-4628.

GOLF TOURNAMENT

An 18-hole Scramble Golf Tournament will be held on Saturday, April 5, beginning at 9 a.m. at the Lurleen Wallace Junior College golf course.

The tourney will be a four-man team event, with trophies going to the top three teams, and individuals for closest to the pin, longest drive and longest putt.

The teams will be selected on Friday, April 4, and the entry fee is \$15 per person.

For more information call Don Hunt at 222-6591, or Campbell Kyle at 222-2558, or 222-7720.

BIATHLON

A biathlon, including a 10K run plus a 20K bicycle race will be held Saturday, April 5, beginning at 9 a.m. at Lurleen Wallace Junior College.

The divisions, both male and female, are 0-12, 13-19, 20-24, 25-29, 30-34, 35-39, 40-44, 45-49, 50-54, 55-60 and 60 and up.

Top overall finishers (male and female) will receive \$25 and a trophy while second and third place finishers will receive cash prizes. The top three finishers in each division will receive awards.

For more information call Phillip Hudson at 222-5609 or Laura Darby at 222-5333.

Recreation Dept. News

Softball Meetings Set For March 18

The Elba Recreation Dept. will hold its organizational meetings for all adult softball leagues on Tuesday night, March 18, at city hall.

The church league meeting will begin at 6:00, to be followed by the

women's league at 6:30 and the men's league at 7:00.

All managers and players wishing to attend a team in a league needs to attend this meeting.

Registration Set For Youth Leagues

All boys and girls wishing to play baseball or softball this summer in Elba should register between March 17-21 at school.

Registration forms will be given out by teachers during PE class, and will also be available at city hall.

Boys ages 7-9 are eligible to play minor league baseball, while boys ages 10-12 play Dixie Youth baseball

and boys 13-15 play Babe Ruth baseball.

Any player entering a level of play for the first time must register!

Girls ages 9-12 will have a softball league and a league will also be formed for girls 13-15. All girls interested in playing should sign up as soon as possible!

Coaches Needed For Youth Teams

Coaches are needed for Minor League Baseball and girls softball teams. Six minor league and eight

girls' teams are expected, so coaches are asked to contact the Recreation Dept. as soon as possible.

1986 ELBA TIGER BASEBALL SCHEDULE

MARCH	Andalusia	Here 6:00
25 (Tue.)	There 4:00	
27 (Thurs.)	*Daleville	There 4:00
28 (Friday)	Enterprise	Here 4:00
APRIL		
1 (Tue.)	Opp	Here 4:00
3 (Thurs.)	Andalusia	There 6:00
5 (Sat.)	Troy	There 1:00
10 (Friday)	*Daleville	Here 4:00
11 (Friday)	*Pike Co.	There 4:00
14 (Mon.)	Opp	There 4:00
17 (Thurs.)	Opp	Here 5:00
18 (Friday)	*Pike Co.	Here 4:00
24 (Thurs.)	Troy	Here 4:00
28 (Mon.)	Ozark	There 5:30

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NETS (4-2) . . . Pictured (L-R) - Kessling - Ron Bryan, Kevin Bryan, Chad Smith, Michael Thomas, Jamie Odom and Chris Tidwell. Standing (L-R) - Rob King, Joe Jacobs, Coach Harry Jacobs, Chad Dawkins, Todd Killingsworth, Troy Fillingim and James Culver.



HAWS (3-3) . . . Pictured (L-R) - Kneeling - Jason Free, Rex Oggs, Brett Bimbo, Lance McCollough and Chris Tidwell. Standing (L-R) - Rob King, Dee Miller, Scotty Hooks, Shawn Diehl, Joey Donaldson and Coach Mickey McCollough.



LAKERS (3-3) Pictured (L-R) - Kneeling - Alan Roberson, Dion Belcher, Richie Bedsole, Chris Parrish and Kyle Dubose. Standing (L-R) - Tommy Young, Terry Goosby, Joe Johnson and Marzine McMillan.

Nets Wins Youth Basketball Crown

The Nets claimed the Youth Basketball League championship last week by posting a convincing 31-23 win over the Hawks.

The final standings showed the Nets on top with a 4-2 record, followed by the Hawks 3-3, Lakers

3-3 and Jazz 2-4.

The Nets pulled away in the second quarter and coasted to a 31-23 win over the Hawks. The Nets held a slim 4-3 lead after one

quarter, but stretched the advantage to 23-9 after three quarters and rolled to the win.

Todd Killingsworth scored a "season-high" 18 points to lead the Nets, while Troy Fillingim added 7 and Chad Dawkins scored 6. Shawn

Shawn Diehl Claims Scoring Title

The Youth Basketball League ended its season last week with Shawn Diehl of the Hawks claiming the scoring crown, with a total of 61 points.

Jamie Bass of the Jazz followed closely with 59 points, while Todd Killingsworth scored 52 to place third.

Following are the league's Top 15 scorers:	
1. Shawn Diehl (Hawks)	-61
2. Jamie Bass (Jazz)	-59
3. Todd Killingsworth (Nets)	-52
4. Joe Johnson (Lakers)	-50
5. Scotty Hooks (Hawks)	-44
6. Marzine McMillan (Lakers)	-32
7. Chad Dawkins (Nets)	-27
8. Troy Fillingim (Nets)	-24
9. Derrick Deal (Jazz)	-21
10. Tommy Young (Lakers)	-18
11. James Culver (Nets)	-17
12. Kyle Dubose (Lakers)	-16
13. Rob King (Hawks)	-14
14. Terry Goosby (Lakers)	-13
15. Chris Tyson (Lakers)	-10



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JAZZ (2-4) . . . Pictured (L-R) - Kneeling - Kevin Dewberry, Galimore, Grant Coleman, Kyle Padgett, S. Barnes and Jason Self. Standing (L-R) - T. Siler, Robin Stinson, Jamie Bass, Coach John Siler, Derrick Deal and Chris Lindsey.

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Michael David

Flowers Completes

Welding Course

Michael David Flowers has completed the required hours needed for technical welding at MacArthur State Technical College, February 28, 1986.

David graduated from Lee County High School, Lee County, Georgia, and attended Albany Vocational Technical College in Albany, Georgia. He transferred to MacArthur and completed the welding certification.

David is the son of Annette Reddick Flowers of Elba and Ray Flowers, Lessburg, Georgia. David has one brother, Mark, who lives in Dothan.

DAVID EADDY

Eaddy Is New

ASCS

Executive Director

David W. Eaddy was recently selected as the new county executive director for USDA's Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service office in Coffee County.

A 1974 graduate of Geneva County High School, Eaddy began his career with ASCS in Houston County in 1977, and has served in various positions in several other county ASCS offices in this area, including Coffee, Geneva and Dale.

David and his wife Lou Ellen currently live in Geneva County, on a family farm, on which they produce commercial beef cattle. David is a member of the Geneva County-Alabama Cattlemen's Association. Lou Ellen is employed as a medical records clerk at Flowers Hospital in Dothan.

In addition to his duties with ASCS and his cattle operation, David is interested in family and church history. He is currently writing two family histories and is compiling church records and information with which to write a history of the Primitive Baptist churches and associations in southeast Alabama which he plans to publish.

Card Of Thanks

Our heartfelt thanks to the fine folks of Elba - family, friends, doctors, nurses, rescue squad THE FAMILY OF FRANK BLAIR 313-11P

Card Of Thanks

I wish to express my deepest heart-felt thanks to all my friends and neighbors for their kind words and deeds expressed to me during the illness and death of my son, Bobby. All the care and concern shown meant more to me than words can say.

Sincerely,
BOB FOLSON

1986 4-H And FFA Steer Show Held



GRAND CHAMPION - Brett Bryan of Elba displays the Grand Champion steer in the 1986 4-H and FFA Steer Show held in New Brockton. The steer was purchased by Cook Chevrolet in Elba. Brett is the son of Hubert Ray and Lou Ann Bryan and the grandson of Wildon Bryan.

Horticulture Tips

DAN J. PRESLEY

SMALL GARDEN

Bigger isn't always better when you're replanting a garden. A small, well-managed garden will often produce more than a large, neglected one. Also, you can keep a smug garden more attractive, and it may be more fun to work in. A large garden can easily become more work than fun. All you need is about 1000 square feet per person to produce all the vegetables needed for a year.

VEGETABLES AND SOIL TESTS

If you're growing vegetables this

year and haven't soil tested yet, you need to do so. It is the only way to know the lime and fertilizer needs of the soil.

Fifty-nine percent of the truck crop samples tested last year at the Auburn University Soil Testing Lab found lime.

Tomatoes and peppers are even more sensitive to acid soils and to low calcium and magnesium, which are associated with acid soils. Thirty-eight percent of the tomato and pepper samples needed lime last year.

ALL AROUND COFFEE COUNTY

COUNTY AGENT-COORDINATOR

THOMAS C. CASADAY

NEW PROGRAM

A new Conservation Reserve Program just recently passed by Congress will be offered Coffee County farmers this year. This 10-year program will begin this year with about 60,000 acres state wide and next year an additional 120,000 acres will be brought in. More acres will be brought in the program over a five-year period.

The purpose of the Conservation Reserve Program is to prevent erosion on highly erodible land and to help reduce crop surpluses.

As the sign up begins this week, farmers will be asking if they should participate. There is no simple answer to this because each farm has different circumstances. However, participation in the CRP will be right for some Coffee County farmers.

One feature of the program includes making a bid to the ASCS office. The bid will represent the annual rental payment you are willing to accept to enroll part of your land in the CRP. No more than 25 percent of the highly erodible land in any county can be entered in the Conservation Reserve.

The ASCS, SCSS, Forestry Office, as well as those of us in the Extension office are prepared to

COTTON MEETING

We have tentatively planned a cotton production meeting for Coffee County producers for Thursday night March 20 at the Farm Center. Dr. Louie Chapman, our cotton specialist, will be with us for this meeting. There is not necessarily a renewed interest in growing cotton; however, we have about 15 farmers who grow cotton along with peanuts and other crops.

Dr. Chapman will discuss production and insect control plus market opportunities and market outlook. I encourage all Coffee County farmers who are interested in producing cotton to attend this special educational meeting.

Coffee Correspondence

SARA E. HUTCHISON
COUNTY AGENT

JACKET WORKSHOP

Our Jacket Workshop which was scheduled for Wed. and Fri. of this week has been moved to March 19 and 21. Several people have called me to register, but we need a few more.

BAKING TIPS

I like to save energy by turning off the oven and surface units a few minutes before cooking is completed. When baking, make a double quantity and freeze the extra for later use. Preheat oven only when necessary and avoid preheating too far in advance. If you bake in glass containers, reduce the oven setting by 25 degrees. If you use fold-in, turn the dull side out. Lowering energy use can save you dollars, but it takes concentrated effort. However, you can do it. Just practice these tips.

ON A DIET?

When you're hungry, especially if you are on a diet, satisfy yourself with a slice of bread. Not only is it economical nutrition, costing as little as two cents a slice for enriched white bread, but it stays with you. Just go easy on the spreads and toppings. That's where the extra calories can come from and add up. You can eat bread on a reducing diet. The average slice of bread is about 70 calories and so is an apple, banana, or four round buttery crackers.



RESERVE CHAMPION - Bo Boyd of New Brockton exhibits the Reserve Champion in the 4-H and FFA Steer Show. The buyer of this calf was Bernie Hughes Lincoln-Mercery. Shown, L-R: Bo Boyd and his grandfather, L.A. Boyd III. Bo is the son of Lee and Harriet Boyd.



SR. SHOWMANSHIP - Brian McLeod of Zion Chapel won over seven other 4-H Club members in the annual steer show Saturday. Club members are judged on how well they groom and show their calves. L-R: Brian McLeod and Wheeler Foshee, 4-H agent.



JR. SHOWMANSHIP - Joe Baxley of Enterprise was top winner in the Jr. Showmanship in the steer show. Joe competed against 10 other 4-H'ers who gave the top award. L-R: Joe Baxley and Mrs. Angela Hughes, 4-H agent. Joe is the son of the Lynn Baxleys.

LEGAL NOTICES

STATE OF ALABAMA
COUNTY OF COFFEE
NOTICE OF MORTGAGE
FORECLOSURE SALE

WHEREAS, Melvin Hall and Edith Mae Hall, husband and wife, executed to Elba Exchange Bank (whose corporate name has been changed to SouthTrust Bank of Coffee County) on the 4th day of October, 1983, a Mortgage upon the real estate hereinafter described to secure an indebtedness described therein; said Mortgage being recorded in Mortgage Book 74-A, page 559-560, in the Office of the Judge of Probate of Coffee County, Alabama, at Elba, Alabama; and

WHEREAS, default has been made by the Mortgagors in the payment of the indebtedness secured by said Mortgage and in the performance of the terms of said Mortgage and said default continuing;

NOW, THEREFORE, SouthTrust Bank of Coffee County (formerly known as Elba Exchange Bank), the mortgagee and owner of said Mortgage, will sell, under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage, at 11:30 o'clock A.M., on Thursday, April 10, 1986, at public auction, to the highest bidder for cash, in front of the Courthouse door of Coffee County, in the City of Elba, Alabama, the real estate embraced in said Mortgage described as follows:

One lot or parcel of land containing one acre, more or less, lying in and being a part of the NW 1/4 of SE 1/4 of Section 1, Township 7 North, Range 20 East, in Coffee County, Alabama, and being more particularly described as follows: Beginning at the point where the Northeast right of way line of the Wilkinstown-Head Mill Road intersects the West line of the NW 1/4 of SE 1/4 of Section 1, Township 7 North, Range 20 East, and running thence Southeasterly along the Northeast right of way line of said paved road a distance of 350 feet to the Southeast corner of the Q.P. Kelley lot, which point is the point of beginning of the parcel herein described; thence continuing Southeasterly along the Northeast right of way line of said paved road a distance of 210 feet to a point; thence running North along a line parallel with the East line of the Q.P. Kelley lot a distance of 210 feet to a point; thence running Northwesterly parallel with the Northeast right of way line of said paved road a distance of 210 feet to a point on the East line of said Q.P. Kelley lot; thence running North along a line parallel with the Northeast right of way line of said paved road a distance of 210 feet to a point; thence running Northwesterly parallel with the Northeast right of way line of said paved road a distance of 210 feet to a point on the Northwest by the Q.P. Kelley lot, on the Northwest and Southeast by lands of Kathryn Wilkins and bound on the Southwest by lands of Wilkinstown-Head Mill Paved Road.

Said sale will be made for the purpose of realizing the mortgage debt, together with all expenses of this sale, including a reasonable attorney's fee.

This 10th day of March, 1986.

SOUTHRUST BANK OF COFFEE COUNTY (FORMERLY KNOWN AS ELBA EXCHANGE BANK) A Corporation

The Mortgagee and Owner of Said Mortgage

3-13-3c

STATE OF ALABAMA
COUNTY OF COFFEE
MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE
NOTICE

WHEREAS, Dwight A. Berry and wife, Deborah B. Berry, executed to First Federal Savings & Loan Association of the Wiregrass, an Alabama Corporation on the 4th day of April, 1978, a mortgage upon the real estate hereinafter described herein, said mortgage being recorded in the Office of Judge of Probate, Elba Division, Coffee County, Alabama in Mortgage Book 65-A, Page 889. Said mortgage was therefore transferred and assigned to Farmers Savings Bank, a foreign corporation, the present owner of the mortgage.

WHEREAS, default has been made by the mortgagors in the payment of the indebtedness secured by said mortgage and/or in the performance of the terms of said mortgage, and said default continuing;

NOW THEREFORE, Farmers Savings Bank, will sell, under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage and/or as provided by law between 11:00 and 11:30 o'clock A.M. on April 1, 1986, at public auction, to the highest bidder, at the front door of the Coffee County Courthouse, in the City of Elba, Alabama, the real estate embraced in said mortgage described as follows:

A plot of land being approximately 1 acre square and being described as follows: Beginning 70 yards south of the northeast corner of the NW 1/4 of the NE 1/4, Section 2, Township 7, Range 22, and running thence East 70 yards; thence North 70 yards; thence West 70 yards to the point of beginning; lying and being situated in the NW 1/4 of the NE 1/4, Section 2, Township 7 North, Range 22 East, Coffee County, Alabama, together with all improvements situated thereon, and having an address of Route 2, Box 262, Brundidge, Alabama.

Also a twenty (20) foot strip of land east of and adjoining the west line of said NW 1/4 of the NE 1/4, Section 2, Township 7 North, Range 22 East, Coffee County, Alabama, being more particularly described as follows: Commencing at the point of intersection of the west line of said NW 1/4 of the NE 1/4, and the east right of way (30 feet from centerline) of said highway; running thence

South 76.1 feet; thence East 20.0 feet; thence North 103.3 feet to the right of way of said highway; thence East 336'18" West 33.8 feet along said right of way to the point of beginning; containing 0.04 acres, more or less.

NOTE: Said sale and any conveyances made in consummation thereof, shall be subject to any existing Federal tax liens, if any, and/or special assessments, if any, which might adversely affect title to the subject property.

Said sale will be made for the purpose of realizing the mortgage debt, together with all expenses of this sale, including a reasonable attorney's fee.

This 21st day of February, 1986.

FARMERS SAVINGS BANK, Owner of said Mortgage

2-27-4c

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF COFFEE COUNTY, ALABAMA, ELBA DIVISION

VICTOR WAYNE DAVIS, Individually, and AS ADMINISTRATOR OF THE ESTATE OF ORIE OSCAR DAVIS, DECEASED; and MARY D. THORNTON, Plaintiffs,

VS.

Artie D. Donaldson, Jerry Davis, Steven Dozier, Lynn D. Lawton, Culton P. Davis, Don L. Davis, Ellen D. Stewart, Wayne P. Davis, Peggy D. Cline-Smith, Jack B. Deane, Ewell Millie Davis, John R. Davis, Ray Fuller, Celia D. Ballard, Eunice C. Laubley, Lucille C. Shand, Jr., Conner, Ruth C. Goodman, Robert Floyd Conner, Lonnie Conner, Dorothy C. Masley, Claude Jerry Davis, Jewel Malloy, Harold Davis, Thelma Anderson, Jimmy Anderson, Jeanette H. Muth, Randolph Henderson, Glenn Henderson, Edward Lavon Smith, and Sherree Dean, Defendants.

1962 Chev. 6 cyl. longbed stepside pickup truck

220" Ford Lawn Mowers

15 gal. Can

1 Small pump up sprayer

2 Tables

1 Refrigerator

1 Freezer

1 Assorted Dishes

1 Assorted Pots & Pans

1 Kerosene Heater

1 Lamp

1 Safe

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2 #2 Wash tubs

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Lesley Ham Wins Scholarship

Lesley Ham, Coffee County's Junior Miss, won a preliminary award in Scholastic Achievement and a \$300 cash tuition scholarship during competition in the 1986 Alabama's Junior Miss program.

Miss Ham is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred K. Ham of Elba. An Elba High School senior, Miss Ham is Student Council secretary, band president, Junior Music Club president and secretary of Mu Alpha Theta. She is a member of Beta Club, National Honor Society, Math and English teams and the Society of Distinguished American High School Students.

She attends First Baptist Church where she is active in the youth choir and youth council. She plans to attend the University of Alabama and study for a career in music or medicine.

Tiger Pause

MARTY HARRELSON
Editor

JILL MADDOX AND ROB HUDSON
Assistant Editors



The Vocational Industrial Clubs of America (VICA) District IV Skills Olympics held at Wallace College, Dothan, saw the Opening and Closing Team from Elba High School win third place in the skills competition. Members of the team include Jeffery Driggers, Sonya Farris, Rene Johnson, Dana Phelps, Tom Stroud, Tim Tice and Pam Windham.

Elba VICA Club Participates In Skills Contest At Wallace College

RENE JOHNSON REPORTER

The Elba High Chapter of VICA attended the annual VICA Skills Contest at Wallace College on

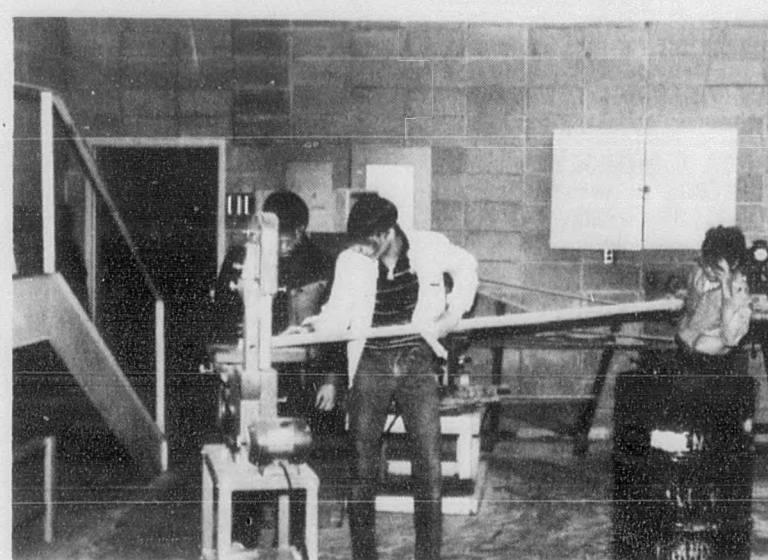
Saturday, March 1. We are very proud of these students who represented our school and community with their outstanding conduct and achievements.

This year's winners are: Welding: 2nd place—Elijah Gilbert; 3rd place—Steve Petty.

Auto Mechanics: 1st place Joseph McCollough, 3rd place—Billy Marler.

Opening and Closing Ceremony: 3rd place—Jeff Driggers, Sonya Farris, Pam Windham, Dana Phelps, Rene Johnson, Tim Tice, Tom Stroud.

Joseph McCollough and Elijah Gilbert will compete in the State VICA Skills Contest in Montgomery, April 25-26.



FFA Features Shop Safety

Shop safety is the first priority taught at the Elba Ag. shop. Here Chris Brown, Ron Bryant, Tim Sullivan, Joseph Grantham and John Lindsey are displaying the correct uses of safety goggles on the

band saw and table saw. Safety is the first feature Ag. students are taught and instructor Mike Carney regards safety as very important.

FFA REPORTER, PATRICK NORRIS

Karen Morrow Wins George C. Wallace Scholarship

Karen Marie Morrow of Elba has been named recipient of a George C. Wallace academic scholarship to Troy State University.

The announcement was made today by University Chancellor Dr. Ralph W. Adams.

Ms. Morrow, the daughter of Mr.

and Mrs. Joe D. Morrow, is a senior at Elba City School, where she received the President's Award.

Each year the George C. Wallace scholarship is awarded to outstanding high school and junior college students who have excelled in academic and/or leadership accomplishments.

Elba Middle School 4th Six Weeks Honor Roll

A

Fourth Grade
Meridith Daniels
Michael Grantham
Linda Hodge
Amanda Calhoun
Cory Driggers
Jennifer Hollinghead
Zack Steel
Gina Bedsole
Robyn Rhoades
Kimbo Nicholson
Jason Holley
Danielle Tew
Maria Williams

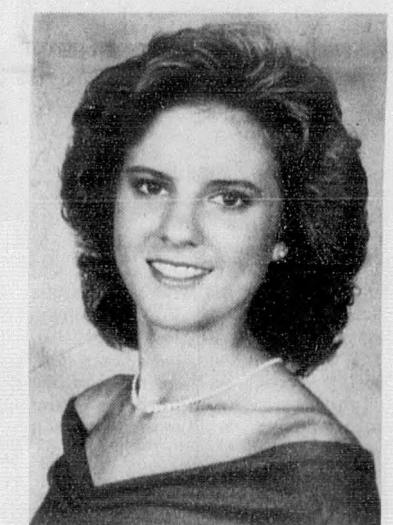
Fifth Grade
Kevin Bryan
Grant Coleman
Leah Crowe
Joe Donaldson
Heather Stinson
Jake Stokes
Laura Hall
Dana Stinson
Joe Jacobs
Don Reeves
Kyle Padgett

Sixth Grade
Rob King
Chad Dawkins
Page Jones
Pernell Smith
Michael McFadden
Melissa Maddox
Tommy Young
Brook Daugherty
Joel Kirkland

A AND B

Fourth Grade
Melissa Bryan
Komiko Daniels
Jason Farris
Phillip Fugit
Roselyn McBride
Deann Miller
Dana Stinson
Joey Tyler
Brian Addison
Keith Grantham
Molly Mills
Joe Russell
Holly Stinson
Chris Tadlock
Tracie Tidwell
Leslie Creel
O'Shea Jones
Chris Kelley
Earnest Myers
Eric Norris
Stacy Seay
Demetria Siler
Fabrika Tillis
Ashley Weeks
Heath Wyroslick

Fifth Grade
Brent Goodson



Debra Blair Wins Scholarship

Debra Denise Blair of Elba has been named recipient of a George C. Wallace academic scholarship to Troy State University.

Ms. Blair, daughter of James and Barbara Blair, is a senior at Elba High School, where she received the President's Award.

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He Will Carry You

BY: MARTY HARRELSON

"I know whom I have believed, and am persuaded that he is able to keep that which I have committed unto him against that day." (2 Timothy 1:12).

It is difficult to keep your head straight in a tough situation. But Paul certainly did. He didn't accept a defeat, or blame God. Instead, Paul glorified Christ. Men could take his freedom and friends, but not his assurance of an eternal life.

Today, we may have difficult situations. But God is ready to carry us through. God will carry you, no matter how heavy your load.

Please Note!!!!!!

If you have school news and you want it to go in *The Elba Clipper*, you have to give it to the school page editors. Do not bring it to *The Elba Clipper*.

The editors are: Marty Harrelson, Jill Maddox and Rob Hudson.

RE-NEWING AN OUTDATED POLICY?

Things may have changed since you bought your old insurance policy. Before renewing, look into the comprehensive, affordable coverage and fast, fair claim service Farm Bureau offers. There is no need to be stuck with high rates and poor service just for old time's sake. Call Farm Bureau and compare. It could save you money.



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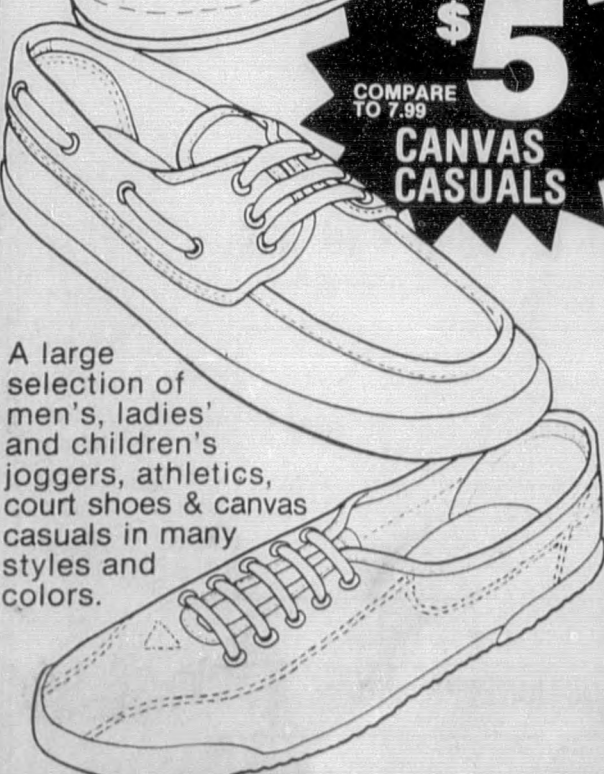
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6 ROLL TISSUE
Regularly 1.19. Angel Soft bath tissue. Limit 2 packs.



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DIAPERS
Reg. 5.99. Assorted size elastic leg disposable diapers.



89¢
6 PK. SOAP
Regularly 1.27. 3 oz. bars Woodbury soap. Limit 2 packs.



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BOXES TRASH BAGS
Large Trash & Yard Bags
15 ct. 13 gallon, 10 ct. 26 gallon or 7 ct. 33 gallon Sure-Tuff bags.



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644 Claxton Ave., Elba

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Fri. & Sat. 9-5
Sun. 1-6

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Quarter Loin Sliced Into
Pork Chops
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Jonathan Apples
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9 to 11-lb. bag **38¢** per lb.

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Charmin Bath Tissue
4-roll pkg. **88¢**
Limit 2 With \$10.00 or More Additional Purchase

40¢ Off Label Reg. or Unscented
Tide Detergent
42-oz. box **\$1.28**
Limit 1 With \$10.00 or More Additional Purchase

15¢ Off Label
Purex Bleach
69¢
gallon

Del Monte Reg. or No-Salt Corn, Peas, or Beans
Vegetables
289¢
17-oz. cans

Bama
Mayonnaise
99¢
32-oz. jar

Campbell's Soup
Cream of Chicken
10½-oz. cans
3 For \$1

Hunt's Reg. or No-Salt
Tomato Sauce
8-oz. cans
4 For \$1

Reg. or Lite
Chunky Mixed Fruit,
Fruit Cocktail, Pears,
or Peaches
Del Monte Fruits
16-oz. cans
79¢

Our Value
Pork & Beans
16-oz. cans
3 For \$1

Oreo Reg. & Double Stuff
Sandwich Cookies
18-oz.
\$2.29

Hunt's
Tomato Paste
6-oz.
3 For \$1

Franco
American Spaghetti O's
14½-oz.
2 For \$1

Kellogg's
Sugar Frosted Flakes
20-oz.
\$1.99

Old El Paso
Taco Sauce
8-oz.
89¢

12-ct. Old El Paso
Taco Shells
4½-oz.
99¢

Semi-Sweet
Nestle's Morsels
12-oz.
\$2.29

Old English
Lemon Polish
9-oz.
\$1.39

Chocolate Drink Mix
Nestle's Quik
16-oz.
\$1.59

Dole
Pineapple Juice
46-oz.
\$1.29

Lucky Leaf
Apple Juice
48-oz.
99¢

Lucky Leaf
Apple Sauce
50-oz.
\$1.39

Easy Off
Lemon Spray Oven Cleaner
16-oz.
\$2.19

Wizard Asst. Air Deodorizer
Dry Breeze
4½-oz.
\$1.09

Woolite
Self-Cleaning Rug Cleaner
22-oz.
\$2.79

Woolite
Liquid Wool Wash
16-oz.
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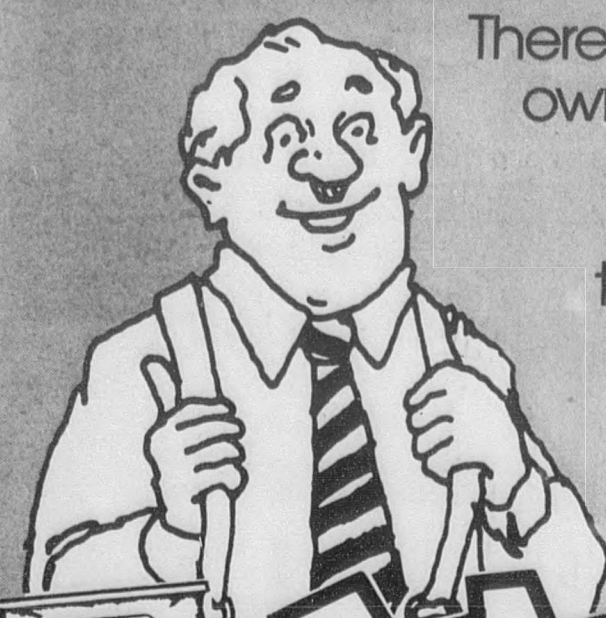
Nabisco
Vanilla Wafers
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Tops 21 Ration
Dog Food
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Ajax Liquid
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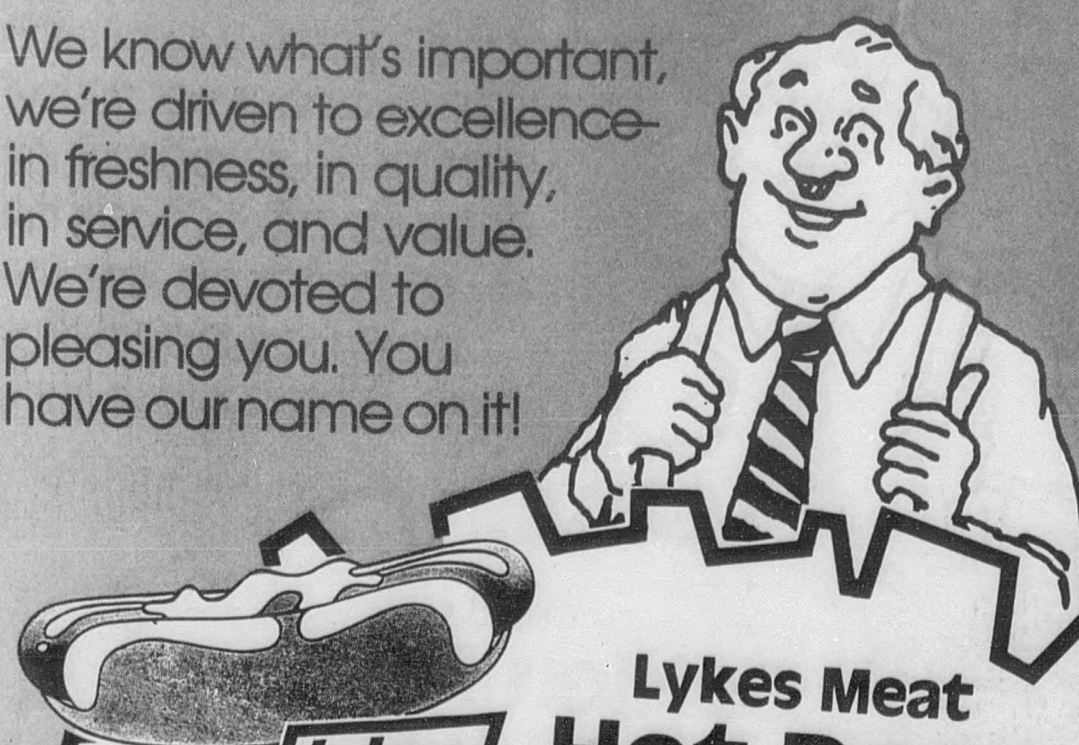
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Briquets Charcoal
10-lb. bag

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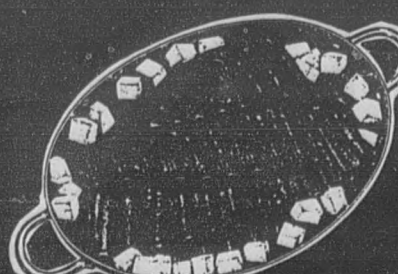


Lykes
Meat Hot Dogs
12-oz. pkg.

89¢

U.S.D.A. Inspected Medium Size Pork

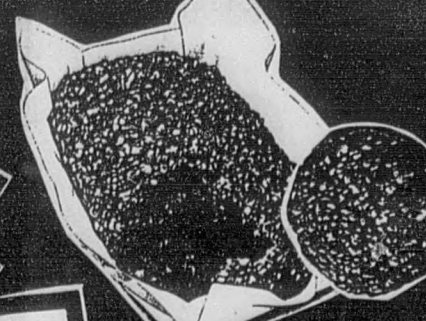
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\$1.28
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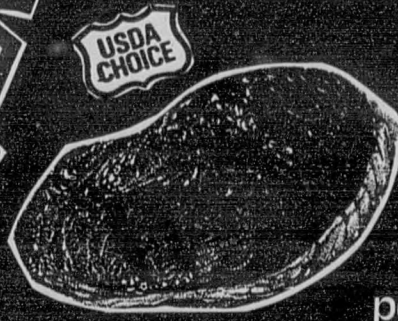
Ground Chuck



\$1.38
per lb.

U.S.D.A. Choice Beef Boneless Top

Sirloin Steak



\$2.68
per lb.

Bryan
Hot, Beefy, or Juicy
Jumbo Franks
lb. pkg.
\$1.59

Bryan
Reg., Hot, or Thick
Sliced Bologna
12-oz. pkg.
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"Excellent With Cabbage"
Super Tru
Corned Beef Brisket
per lb.
\$1.49

U.S.D.A. Grade "A"
Super Tru Basted
Turkey Breast
per lb.
\$1.39

Zeigler's
Parti Pups
24-oz. pkg.
\$1.99

Bryan
Smoky Hollow
Boneless
Sliced Free
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Two Georgia Jail Escapees Captured Near Downtown Elba

Two escapees from the Decatur County jail, in Bainbridge, Georgia, were captured this week in Elba only hours after a third escapee captured near New Brockton reported the trio had escaped and were in the area.

Robert Wayne Beidler, age 22, of St. Paul, Minnesota and Ronnie Lee Faulconer, age 21, of McAllister, Oklahoma, were arrested in Elba, while William Daniel Wingate, age 20, of Bainbridge, was captured near the Shiloh Community, between Elba and New Brockton.

According to Jim C. Morris, chief deputy investigator for the Decatur County Sheriff's Dept., the trio and a fourth inmate, identified as Anthony Jackson, received a hacksaw smuggled into the jail and cut through metal to gain entrance into a ventilation shaft. The inmates

followed the shaft to the roof and then escaped.

While the trio captured in Coffee County allegedly stole a car in the early morning hours of Sunday, March 16, Jackson reportedly went to a girlfriend's house in Fowlstown, Georgia, and held her at gunpoint. Jackson later freed the hostage and attempted to flee, only to be shot and killed by law enforcement officers after refusing to surrender.

The other three escapees apparently left the area together in the stolen vehicle and headed west on Highway 84, stopping near New Brockton.

The trio are believed to have burglarized a home near New Brockton on Sunday night and then

burglarized two rural homes on Monday.

An investigation began into the burglaries by the New Brockton Police Department and the Coffee County Sheriff's Department and on Tuesday morning at 7 o'clock New Brockton Chief Gordon Luck arrested Wingate as he walked near Shiloh.

Wingate told Luck of the escape and the presence of the other two escapees, prompting an extensive manhunt near the Shiloh area. Bloodhounds from Troy and a helicopter from Dale County joined local authorities in the hunt near Shiloh; however, during the manhunt an elderly black man entered the Elba Police station and told the radio dispatcher that the two men being looked for were walking down the street in Elba. After getting the man to point out the exact street, Investigator Freddie Hanchey and patrolman Randy White went to the area, near Brunswick Texaco, on W. Simmons, and arrested the pair without incident at 10:15 a.m.

At the time of the escape, Wingate was being jailed for burglary and probation violation; Faulconer was being jailed on burglary and auto theft charges, and Beidler had been convicted of auto theft, escape and burglary. Jackson was in on forgery and pending armed robbery charges.



CAPTURED ESCAPEES AWAIT INTERROGATION . . . Robert Wayne Beidler (left) and Ronnie Lee Faulconer were held upstairs at the Elba Police Dept. Tuesday morning after their capture near downtown Elba. The duo had escaped from the Decatur County jail, in Bainbridge, Ga., on Sunday morning, and apparently had driven to the Elba area in a stolen vehicle. A third inmate was captured earlier Tuesday near the Shiloh Community by the New Brockton Police Dept., and all three have been returned to Decatur County authorities.

Arnold Ordered To Undergo Testing At State Facility

A rural Coffee County man charged with rape, sodomy and the production of obscene materials has been ordered to undergo psychiatric testing at a state mental facility following the report of a jailer that he had observed the county jail inmate displaying "suicidal tendencies."

Melvin Arnold, age 50, of the Jack community, was originally scheduled to appear at a preliminary hearing on March 21; however, a special court appearance was deemed necessary after the jailer's report. At the special hearing last week, District Judge Gary McAlliley ordered Arnold to be tested at the Taylor Hardin Secure Mental Facility, in Tuscaloosa, as soon as space is available at the state's mental hospital.

Arnold was arrested on February

19 and charged with second degree rape, second degree sodomy and producing obscene material concerning the production of videotapes involving a person under the age of 17.

The videotape in question reportedly involves two female minors engaged in sexual activity and also includes Arnold clothed in nothing but socks.

An additional first degree sexual abuse charge and a charge of visual reproduction of obscene material involving a person under the age of 17 were filed later in connection with incidents involving a second female minor.

A request of bond reduction was made by Arnold's attorney Debbie Jarred at the meeting last week, but the request was tabled until results of the mental testing were received.

Band Day '86 Set For Saturday In Elba

"Band Day '86", an annual fundraising event sponsored by the Elba High School Marching Tiger band, is scheduled for Saturday, March 22 and once again a day filled with activities is planned.

The goal this year is \$10,000 and all proceeds will be used to purchase percussion equipment and other needed supplies.

The activities will actually get a slight headstart on Friday night,

March 21, at 7:00 p.m., when the Miss Band Day beauty pageant will be held. Girls ages 2-17 will compete in six divisions in the pageant, with a winner and four alternates chosen in each division. Admission is \$2 per person.

Activities on Saturday, March 22 will begin at 9:00 a.m. at the Elba High School gym, cafeteria and school grounds. Activities planned include an auction, concessions, raffle, bingo, homemade cake sale, T-shirt sale, sponge throw and continuous entertainment.

Mothers wishing to attend any event or activity may take advantage of a baby-sitting service.

Following is a timetable of Saturday's events:

SCHEDULE OF ACTIVITIES
9:00 a.m. - Live broadcast over WELB will begin.

9 a.m. - 11 a.m. - beginner band, 7th grade band, concert band, and symphonic band will perform in the gym.

11:30 a.m.-1:00 p.m.-serving in the high school cafeteria for pork barbecue plates. Tickets for \$3.50 each can be purchased in advance from band students. Take out orders available or you are invited to eat in the cafeteria.

1:30 p.m. - Auction conducted by Ronnie Vaughan in high school gym. Services and merchandise for auction will be donated by local merchants.

Marching Tigers will perform after auction.

4:00 p.m. - Drawing for raffle prizes of Get-Away Weekend, \$100.00 worth of gas, and \$50.00 gift certificate. Tickets available in advance from any band student for \$1.00.



HOW HIGH IS THE WATER . . . Elba residents drove slowly over the Pea River bridge last week as river waters climbed over the banks at the old city pool park. The river crested Saturday morning approximately 6 feet below flood stage, but Friday's rising water reminded many of the flood of 1929, which occurred on exactly the same day 57 years ago.

Rising Waters Fall Six-Foot Short Of Flood Stage In Elba

Elba residents kept a watchful eye on the rising waters of the Pea River and Whitewater Creek last week as heavy rains swelled the waters over the banks and threatened to flood low-lying areas.

The potential flooding prompted many older residents to remember back to the "Flood of 1929," especially since the rain started on March 13 back 57 years ago, the exact same date of last week's

4 1/2-inch downpour!

The Pea River crested at 7.9 feet early Thursday morning (March 13), but rose steadily during the day as the rains fell, and by Friday morning

had reached a depth of 22.95 feet, a rise of over 15 feet in 24 hours. The river crested at 23.15 feet on Saturday, 6.85 feet short of flood stage, and by yesterday (March 19) had receded to 12.65 feet.



Sheriff Brice Paul To Seek Re-election

Brice R. Paul, the sheriff of Coffee County for the past seven years, qualified on March 8 to seek a third term.

Paul, age 34, was appointed sheriff on March 11, 1979, by Gov. Fob James following the death of Sheriff Neil Grantham. He completed three-years and ten months of Grantham's term and then was elected to a full term in 1982.

During his time in office, the Sheriff Dept. has grown from an

eight-man department to a staff of 17, including the county's first full-time investigator. The Sheriff Reserve Force has grown to 15 and several rural communities have requested and been trained in the community watch program.

Through the use of inmate labor Paul led an extensive renovation project at the county jail, saving the county over \$100,000 in labor cost alone! A "snuff" work release program started by Sheriff Paul in 1983 has also been

successful in paying over \$30,000 in child support, court fines and restitution.

Paul is a 1969 graduate of Elba High School and in 1974 received a B.S. Degree in Criminal Justice from Troy State University. He is a member of the Fraternal Order of Police, was twice honored as the Jaycees' selection for outstanding young law enforcement officer of the year and is past president of the Alabama Sheriffs' Association.

District Judge Gary McAlliley To Seek Circuit Judge Post

Coffee County District Judge Gary McAlliley has qualified as a Democratic candidate for the office of Circuit Judge for Coffee and Pike counties.

McAlliley, age 38, has served as District Judge for 9 1/2 years and has heard approximately 46,000 cases, both criminal and juvenile in nature.

He was named "Man-of-the-Year" in Enterprise in 1986 and in 1985 was selected "Judge-of-the-Year" in Alabama by the Alabama Child Support Association.



"I don't think of myself as running against any one individual," stated McAlliley. "My campaign will simply be based in three areas: First, my judicial experience; secondly, my record and Thirdly, my judicial philosophy."

"As far as EXPERIENCE, I've been a State Judge almost ten years, and resolved over 46,000 criminal, civil and juvenile cases of almost every type and kind," said McAlliley.

"My RECORD of taking a strong stand against the criminal element of society and a strong stand for the rights of needy and victimized families and children is known throughout the State. In 1985, I was even chosen and honored by my fellow Alabama Judges and District Attorneys as Alabama's 1985 Judge of the Year for my work in protecting and promoting the rights of children."

My JUDICIAL PHILOSOPHY is also simple but well known by the public I've served.

I believe that there is too much TECHNICALITY; too much DELAY and too much POLITICS in today's courtroom and I know I'm only one of a few people that can and will do

something about it.

We live in a time when respect for the Judicial System is at an all time low. I say to you today that Judges, Politicians and some lawyers are to blame for the black eye our American Judicial System carries and I'm deeply concerned about it.

As far as TECHNICALITY its not uncommon for all of us to see someone we know is guilty walk out of the courtroom free because of some technicality.

As far as court DELAY, its sad to say, that it is common for a car wreck case and other civil cases to unnecessarily take two, three and even four years in court.

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